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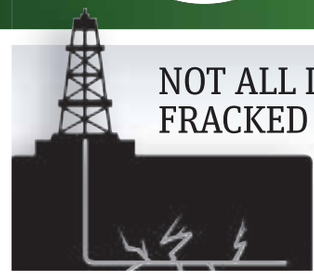

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Friends rally to help woman send slain son to Philippines

Donations sought. Rustom Paclipan, who was gunned down on Sunday, was born and partly raised abroad

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The mother of Winnipeg's latest homicide victim says her "heart is melting" after friends of the young man shot and killed in front of a downtown bar over the weekend have rallied to help raise the cash needed to send his body back to the country he was born in.

"It's really touched my heart," said Elvira Paclipan Padillo, whose 23-year-old son Rustom Paclipan died in hospital after being shot in front of the Opera Ultralounge early Sunday. "They'll never know how much I appreciate them helping me right now."

Paclipan Padillo, who lives in Vancouver and flew into Winnipeg Sunday just hours after learning of her son's death, said as well as making and selling T-shirts and hats to raise money, Rustom's friends have gone out of their way to make sure she hasn't felt alone.

"Every time I hug them it feels like I'm hugging my son," she said. "I can't believe how my son was being loved by his friends."

Rustom was born in the Philippines and raised until the age of six by Paclipan Padillo's parents while she worked out of the country to support him.

She told Metro Thursday that's why it's so important for her to make sure his body returns home, but between the cost of the funeral, the casket, and the flight, she's looking at a bill of at least $8,000.

"We want to do whatever we can to help raise that money," said one of the friends behind the fundraising effort who asked to remain anonymous. "He would do the same for us."

Elvira Paclipan Padillo, whose son Rustom Paclipan, 23, died in hospital after being shot in front of the Opera Ultralounge, has been overwhelmed by the support of his friends since his death. SHANE GIBSON/METRO

Rustom was about to graduate from Red River College's aircraft maintenance engineering program, and Paclipan Padillo said she'd accept his diploma for him later this month.

Donations to help send Rustom home can be made in his name at any Royal Bank location.

Man, teenage boy charged in shooting

Two people were in custody Thursday — including one man pulled off a VIA Rail train — after a fatal shooting outside a downtown Winnipeg nightclub.

Marcus James Richard, 21, was removed from a train in Sudbury, Ont., Thursday morning en route to Toronto, Winnipeg police said. A 16-year-old boy was arrested in Winnipeg on Wednesday.

Both are charged in the shooting death of Rustom Paclipan, 23, outside the Opera Ultralounge following a clash between two groups that had gang connections, Det. Sgt. Natalie Aitken said Thursday.

Aitken added the victim was not known to police but was "an acquaintance of one of the groups" involved in the incident.

Aitken said police have determined that the firearm used in the shooting was never inside the club but had been brought to the scene outside, allegedly by the teenager.

The youth has been charged with manslaughter, carrying a concealed weapon and unauthorized possession of a firearm in a motor vehicle, among other offences. He remains in custody.

Richard faces charges of first-degree murder, aggravated assault and two counts of attempted murder. Two people outside the club suffered non-life-threatening injuries, police said. THE CANADIAN PRESS, WITH FILES FROM METRO

'I am so happy'

Paclipan's mother said she was relieved to hear arrests have been made.

- "To tell you honestly I am so happy," Elvira Paclipan Padillo said about half an hour before police announced the arrests. "When I saw Rustom in the funeral home before the viewing last Tuesday, I told Rustom to help the police find the shooter. I believe that he really did."

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Black Keys coming to Winnipeg in October

The Black Keys have confirmed their fall North American tour, and the tour includes a stop in the River City. The rock duo will play the MTS Centre on Oct. 25 in support of their new album, Turn Blue, which drops on May 13. Tickets go on sale at Ticketmaster on May 23 at 10 a.m. METRO

Concordia Avenue

Fire closes Elmwood Kildonans Pool

An electrical fire early Thursday morning has closed a local pool.
The City of Winnipeg said the Elmwood Kildonans Pool on Concordia Avenue will be temporarily closed due to the fire, which happened around 3 a.m. Thursday. It's not known when the pool would re-open. METRO

Bus manufacturer

New Flyer Industries reports first quarter net income of $5.5 million

New Flyer Industries Inc. is reporting net earnings of $5.5 million, or 10 cents per share, in the first quarter of this year.

That's up from $3.5 million, or eight cents a share, in the same quarter a year ago.

The Winnipeg bus manufacturer attributes the improvement mainly to improved earnings from operations offset by increased income taxes.

Revenue for the quarter was $323.9 million, up from $245.1 million during the year ago quarter.

New Flyer says it delivered 554 buses during the quarter, compared with 490 a year ago. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Colder weather keeps mosquitoes at bay

No prediction. City's new bug boss hoping for 'good season' after brutal winter

Ken Nawolsky, superintendent of insect control for the City of Winnipeg, said mosquitoes won't be a nuisance over the next two weeks. BERNICE PONTANILLA/METRO

There may be a silver lining to this colder-than-normal spring: The chilly temperatures are keeping the skeeters at bay.

Ken Nawolsky, the City of Winnipeg's new superintendent of insect control, announced on Thursday the start of this season's surveillance and larviciding program.

"With the cooler weather we've been experiencing this spring, we've actually begun our season 10 days later than normal," said Nawolsky, who on March 10 took over the job that was previously held by entomologist Taz Stuart.

Nawolsky said the city's pest management strategy remains status quo: employing "environmentally mindful" treatments, and fogging only when warranted.

The first mosquito larva, added Nawolsky, was discovered in water on April 26 and larviciding using helicopters started on May 5.

Nawolsky said it's too early to say how the mosquito season will go because it depends on many factors, not just the weather.

"We know that there's water out there, when a rainfall event happens and the temperatures warm up, we'll be out there doing our best," said Nawolsky, adding they're dealing with the spring species of mosquitoes right now.

"Every year is totally different. We work basically on a day-to-day basis, we try and not look too far in the future."

As for the cankerworm battle, Nawolsky said it's now too late to band trees as the wingless female moths have already been climbing the trees and laying eggs.

For those who did band trees, Nawolsky issued a friendly reminder to remove them during the May long weekend to prevent any damage to the bark.

BERNICE PONTANILLA/METRO

A word of caution

Beware of ticks

Ken Nawolsky, the city's new bug boss, said the cold winter didn't have an effect on ticks and warned outdoorsy Winnipeggers to keep to the centre of trails, away from tall grass and cover any skin up.

"Make sure that you roll up your socks, it's kinda goofy-looking, but at least roll up your socks over your pant legs so that they don't get underneath your pant legs and then attach themselves to your body," he said.

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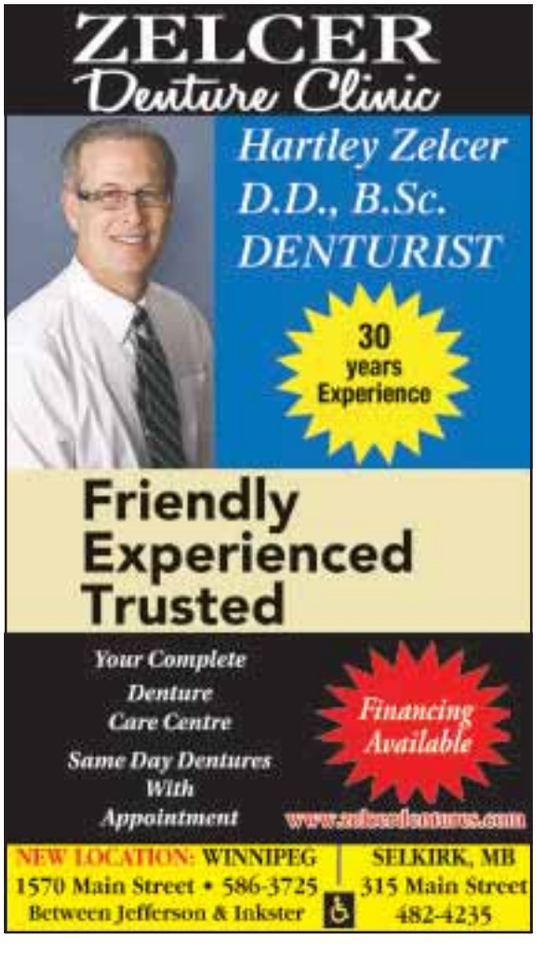

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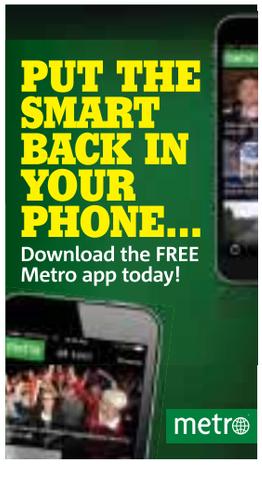

Ross Eadie speaks at a recent city council meeting. BERNICE PONTANILLA/METRO

Coun. says EPC trashed motion

'They really don't care.' Coun. Ross Eadie says his presentation time was changed, then cancelled

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A city councillor is decrying a "draconian" move by Mayor Sam Katz's executive policy committee to deal with a motion that he asked be delayed following a change in the meeting time.

Coun. Ross Eadie said he was prepared to speak to a motion he and Coun. Harvey Smith put forward calling on the federal government to conduct countrywide consultations on the controversial Bill C-23, or Fair Elections Act.

"They changed the meeting time from 9 to 10:30 and then I requested for them to put it off for the next EPC agenda and they refused to do that," he said.

The EPC meeting time was moved to 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday to allow the mayor to attend an announcement with local soccer star Desiree Scott for a new high-performance facility in Garden City.

Eadie said he was ready to go for 9 a.m., but had another meeting at 10:30, so his office contacted city clerks to remove the agenda item and add it to the May 14 one.

Instead, Coun. Jeff Browaty moved a recommendation to city council that the motion be received as information, and it passed.

"They threw it in the trash bin. It's disappointing that they weren't considerate enough at least to hear from the proponents of the motion as to why the city should debate such a thing," he said, adding that the motion will still come up at the next full council meeting on May 28.

"They really don't care, yup, so you can see what's going to happen on the council floor … I wouldn't say I'm upset, I'm disappointed."

Car found in Winnipeg

Arrest warrant issued for missing Ontario man

There's been a twist in the case of a 30-year-old Windsor, Ont., man reported missing on April 15 when he didn't show up for work.

A Canada-wide arrest warrant has been issued for Brandon Wheeler on a charge of sexual assault.

Wheeler's Jeep was found in Winnipeg last week, with the licence plates and the VIN tag removed, but police say the ignition was intact and the doors locked.

Windsor police Sgt. Matt D'Asti says the allegations against Wheeler arose from an incident in Windsor and a criminal investigation was being launched at the time he disappeared.

Wheeler is described as white, 6-foot-4 with a skinny muscular build and a tattoo reading "my generation live forever" on his right arm.

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Billy Ray Cyrus is coming to Winnipeg as part of APTN's Aboriginal Day Live Celebration, happening on Saturday, June 21.

Cyrus will headline the day's free concert, happening at the Forks at 8 p.m. The day will begin at 11 a.m. with free activities and cultural performances.

Other performers include Leonard Sumner, LightningCloud, Mike Bone, Murray Porter and Friends, Nelson Tagoona and Yvonne St. Germaine. For more information, visit aboriginaldaylive.com.

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Owner of S. Korean ferry detained

A woman weeps at a tribute to ferry victims in Seoul.

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South Korean prosecutors on Thursday detained the head of the company that owns the ferry that sank last month over an allegation of cargo overloading.

Authorities believe improper stowage and overloading of cargo are one possible reason the ferry sank on April 16, leaving more than 300 people dead or missing. Four employees at the ferry's owner Chonghaejin Marine Co. Ltd, who handled cargo on the Sewol, have already been arrested.

Kim Han-sik, president of Chonghaejin, was detained Thursday ahead of his possible formal arrest on allegations that he was aware that the ferry exceeded its cargo limit, but didn't do anything before it started its trip, according to senior prosecutor Yang Jung-jin.

"I feel very sorry for the victims ... their family members. I committed a grave sin," Kim, wearing a cap and a mask, told reporters at a detention facility in the southern port city of Mokpo, according to South Korean TV footage. He declined to comment on questions over alleged cargo overloading.

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A protester in a Guy Fawkes mask stands surrounded by a cloud of tear gas during

Chileans education

Students on the street. Tens of thousands demonstrate, demand changes promised by president's campaign

Tens of thousands of students protested in Chile on Thursday in the first march demanding education reform since President Michelle Bachelet took power on promises of deep changes.

The students marched through the streets of downtown Santiago heading to La Moneda presidential palace in a mostly peaceful protest that was marred at the end by hooded vandals who infiltrated the demonstrations to clash with police throwing rocks and petrol bombs. About 1,800 police officers guarded the march to avoid more violence. Student leaders estimated the crowd at 100,000 but police said it was closer to 40,000 people.

Bachelet was inaugurated for a new presidential term two months ago. She has vowed an education overhaul funded by a corporate tax hike in response to the millions of people who have taken part in protests since 2011 demanding deep changes to a system suffering from poor quality public schools, unprepared teachers and expensive private universities.

Students say the government is finally on the right course after years of staging massive marches demanding free, quality education. But they say it's still not enough and they want to be part of the reform.

"I think these projects are aimed in the right direction, but it's unfortunate that there is no process of participation and debate," said Naschla Aburman, a student leader at Universidad Catolica.

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Naschla Aburman, student leader at Universidad Catolica

student protests in Santiago, Chile, Thursday. LUIS HIDALGO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

march for reforms

A Chilean riot police officer trips and falls down as he and his fellow officers run away from flames from a petrol bomb thrown by protesters in violent clashes during a student march in Santiago on Thursday. LUIS HIDALGO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The student protests began under the 2006-10 presidency of Bachelet, who appeased some students by naming a commission including several of their leaders, and shuffling her cabinet. But many others were left disappointed.

"What we've done so far is injecting more money to this same system that segregates," said Melissa Sepulveda, a student leader at Universidad de Chile. "This system generates one type of education for the rich, and another for the poor."

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Back in office

Chilean President Michelle Bachelet was sworn back into office two months ago after a four-year break.

- Bachelet is a moderate socialist who became Chile's first female president in 2006.
- The Chilean Constitution does not allow a president to serve two consecutive terms.

Syria

Rebels blow up historic hotel

With a gigantic explosion, Syrian rebels on Thursday levelled a historic hotel being used as an army base in the northern city of Aleppo by detonating bomb-packed tunnels beneath it, activists and militants said.

The blast near Aleppo's medieval citadel, an imposing city landmark that was once swarming with tourists, killed an unknown number of soldiers. It turned the Carlton Hotel, known for its elegant architecture and proximity to the citadel, into a pile of rubble.

The attack was a powerful statement that the rebels could still deal heavy blows elsewhere in Syria even as they withdrew from Homs, surrendering that city to President Bashar Assad's forces.

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Suspected militants killed

Yemeni forces clear al-Qaida fighters from south

Yemeni armed forces on Thursday swept al-Qaida fighters out of a district in the country's south, one of the main goals of the major offensive waged by the military the past two weeks, the Defence Ministry said, amid fears of retaliatory attacks which officials say prompted the closure of the U.S. embassy as a precaution.

The ministry said that dozens of suspected militants have been killed and captured in the past week as troops and allied tribal fighters seized a string of al-Qaida-held areas. In the operation in Mahfad, Yemeni forces were reportedly backed by U.S. drone strikes targeting an al-Qaida base hidden in the remote mountains. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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For more information, please visit the Manitoba Naturopathic Association at www.mbnd.ca.

Tim's says Doug, not mayor, spotted at Toronto location

Rob in rehab? Coffee chain 'confirmed' Doug Ford was at restaurant on Tuesday, but refuses to release images

Toronto Mayor Rob Ford, right, stands alongside his brother, Coun. Doug Ford, during a Toronto City Council meeting at city hall last November. AARON VINCENT ELKAIM/GETTY IMAGES FILE

Tim Hortons has "confirmed" it was Doug Ford — not the mayor — who visited a franchise location in the Junction on Tuesday morning, a spokesperson told the Star.

Michelle Robichaud, manager of public relations for the coffee chain, said employees at the west-end Tim Hortons reviewed video from security cameras and concluded it was Coun. Ford who attended the restaurant.

Mayor Rob Ford is purportedly in rehab.

Tim Hortons is refusing to release images from its cameras to prove Rob Ford wasn't there.

"It is, for sure, Doug," said Robichaud. "That's all I want to say right now — that it was reviewed internally and we can confirm it's Doug."

Rob Ford announced he was going to rehab last week to deal with an "alcohol problem," and has reportedly made calls to a Toronto Sun columnist from a treatment facility.

Sixteen-year-old Cayla Clarkson, however, claims she saw the mayor outside the Tim Hortons near Dundas Street West and Clendenan Avenue Tuesday around 9 a.m. A Tim Hortons employee who would not share her name also told the Star the mayor came into the restaurant that morning and ordered coffee and a sandwich.

On Wednesday, Doug Ford told reporters "that was me," explaining he stopped at the Tim Hortons on his way to work at City Hall.

Clarkson could not be immediately reached for comment Thursday.

In an earlier interview, though, she stuck to her story, claiming she is "97 per cent sure" it was Rob Ford who went into the restaurant and then came back out and got into his vehicle.

"I was standing behind his car, and I had my phone out because I was going to take a picture of him, but then he looked at me and then I kind of put my phone away, because he didn't really seem to be the happiest person," she said.

'97 per cent sure' it was Rob

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> **Bystander Cayla Clarkson,** who is "97 per cent sure" she saw Mayor Rob Ford go into the restaurant, come back out and get into his vehicle.

In the days since the mayor took a leave of absence and said he is going to rehab, there have been several claimed Ford sightings in disparate locations, including Hamilton, Richmond Hill and the Homewood Health Centre in Guelph.

Speaking to reporters Thursday, Doug Ford said his brother is "nowhere near the GTA." His exact location has not been disclosed.

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'People tried to stop it.' Woman killed by bear at oilsands site wasn't alone

A union official says a woman killed by a bear at one of Canada's major oilsands sites was with several workers who tried to scare the animal away.

The 36-year-old Suncor employee was an instrument technician, who was doing electrical work at a job site near Fort McMurray, Alta., when the bear attacked her Wednesday.

"It was ... seven people that were working in a group area and she was attacked by this bear out of that group and dragged off," Scott Doherty, a spokesman for Unifor, told The Canadian Press.

"People tried to stop it and do everything they could. Obviously they are fairly horrified at what they saw and witnessed." Doherty said the union does not believe the workers were carrying bear spray. He said they remained in the area until police and wildlife officers arrived.

Another union official said the woman's co-workers blasted air horns to scare the bear away, but to no effect.

A black bear in Jasper National Park, Alta., on Wednesday. JEFF MCINTOSH/THE CANADIAN PRESS

RCMP killed an adult black bear in the area and tests were being done to determine whether it is the same animal that mauled the woman.

Alberta occupational health and safety said companies that operate in the region have protocols to try to prevent such attacks. Doherty said there needs to be a full review of what happened.

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Endangered species. Whale carcass makes its way to Toronto museum

Researchers began carving up the decaying remains of a rare blue whale on Thursday as they prepare to ship the animal's skeleton from Newfoundland to a museum in Toronto.

The team started stripping blubber off the adult female that died with eight other blue whales in unusually thick ice off the province's west coast.

There are only about 250 blue whales left in the North Atlantic population, which has not recovered much since whaling stopped and they came under protection in the 1960s.

But Mark Engstrom, deputy director for collections and research at the Royal Ontario Museum, says that while the deaths are a setback for the fragile species, being able to recover the remains could provide valuable knowledge of the animal. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Earthquake rocks Mexico's Pacific coast

Mexico City. Thousands pour out of office buildings, following pre-planned evacuation routes

A strong earthquake shook the southern Pacific coast of Mexico and several states, including the capital on Thursday, sending frightened people into unseasonal torrential rains that were also bearing down on the coast.

The 6.4-magnitude quake in southern Guerrero state had an epicentre about 15 kilometres north of Tecpán de Galeana, according to the U.S. Geological Survey, and was felt about 277 kilometres miles away in Mexico City, where office workers streamed into the streets away from high-rise buildings. There were no immediate reports of injuries or major damage.

Tecpán, near the epicentre, shook ferociously, causing a "wave of panic" and some roofs to cave in. But there were no injuries.

In Chilpancingo, the capital of Guerrero state, a wall collapsed and in Acapulco civil protection crews had found nothing so far except scared citizens who were forced to take refuge in the heavy rain that was hitting the region.

A 7.2-magnitude quake with an epicentre about 66 kilometres from Thursday's quake shook central and southern Mexico on April 18.

That quake occurred along a section of the Pacific Coast known as the Guerrero Seismic Gap that USGS says has the potential to produce a quake as strong as magnitude 8.4, potentially much more powerful than the magnitude-8.1 quake that killed 9,500 people and devastated Mexico City in 1985.

Mexico City is vulnerable to distant earthquakes because much of it sits atop the muddy sediments of drained lake beds that jiggle like jelly when the quake waves hit.

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"That was just too scary."

Carmen Lopez, an elegantly dressed businesswoman who was leaving a downtown office building in Mexico City when the ground began to shake.

Egypt finds 1100 B.C. tomb

An Egyptian conservator works on a newly-discovered tomb dating back to around 1100 B.C. at the Saqqara archaeological site, 30 kilometres south of Cairo, Thursday. Antiquities Minister Mohamed Ibrahim said the tomb belongs to a guard of the army archives and royal messenger to foreign countries. Saqqara was the necropolis for the ancient Egyptian city of Memphis and site of the oldest known pyramid in Egypt. AMR NABIL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Papal visit. Vatican urges Israel to safeguard holy sites after vandal attacks

The Roman Catholic official in charge of the Vatican's properties in the Holy Land is urging Israel to safeguard Christian holy sites, following a number of vandalism attacks ahead of a visit by Pope Francis. Vandals have recently scribbled anti-Arab and anti-Christian graffiti on several churches and monasteries, including on the Vatican's Notre Dame Center in Jerusalem earlier this week.

Israel's Shin Bet internal security agency says it fears there could be similar attacks as the pope's visit approaches at the end of the month.

The Custody of the Holy Land issued a statement expressing concern about the attacks and said the uptick in violence appeared to be connected to the visit. It called on Israel to "work urgently against extremist elements" to ensure peace and safeguard Christian holy places.

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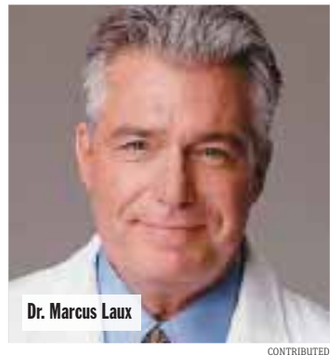

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Prison battles ruling on sex change for convict

Taxpayer-funded surgery ordered.
Michelle Kosilek, formerly Robert, convicted of murdering wife in 1990

Massachusetts prison officials on Thursday made another push to overturn a court ruling that would force them to provide a taxpayer-funded sex-change operation to a murder convict with gender-identity disorder.

The inmate has been given a substantial amount of care, including female hormones, laser hair removal and psychotherapy, and doesn't need the surgery, the Department of Corrections attorney Richard McFarland told the 1st U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Boston.

Michelle Kosilek, who lives as a woman, wants a sex change.
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Robert Kosilek, as Michelle was then known, is seen in 1990. NEW
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"The clinician didn't say you must have this surgery, but that if you want it, you can get it," McFarland said Thursday. Only five per cent of people diagnosed with the disorder actually undergo sex-assignment surgery, he added.

Michelle Kosilek, born Robert Kosilek, has been in a heated legal battle to get the surgery, which she says is required to relieve the emotional stress caused by the disorder. Kosilek is currently serving a life sentence for killing spouse Cheryl Kosilek in 1990.

In 2012, a federal judge ruled that the department must give Kosilek the surgery.

In January, that decision was reaffirmed by a three-judge panel of the 1st U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, which said it is a constitutional right to receive medically necessary treatment "even if that treatment strikes some as odd or unorthodox."

The prisons department appealed and won a rehearing before the full appeals court. It could take months to issue a decision.

If it loses its appeals, Massachusetts would be the first state to fund sex-reassignment surgery for an inmate.

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'Hate' in the classroom.
School board denounces Holocaust assignment

The school board of a Southern California district where students were told to write an essay on whether they believe the Holocaust really happened said at a packed public meeting Wednesday night that it was a "horribly inappropriate" assignment for which the board takes "full responsibility."

Rialto Unified School Board president Joanne Gilbert read the remarks after a closed session that followed a heated public meeting where Jewish groups, tolerance organizations and community leaders denounced the assignment.

The initial assignment given to eighth-graders was to do some research and write an essay explaining whether they believed the Holocaust was a real historical event or a political scheme to influence public emotion and gain. It was developed in December by a group of language arts teachers planning a unit on The Diary of Anne Frank.

Quoted

"I don't understand why a fact of history would be a matter for debate."
Rabbi Suzanne Singer, Temple Beth El in Riverside, Calif.

The district had already withdrawn the assignment and called it an error.

But the school board went much further in its denunciation Wednesday night, and promised broader action to prevent similar incidents, including sensitivity training for eighth-graders at the Museum of Tolerance in Los Angeles.

State Senator Norma Torres, who represents the area and was one of several political officials in attendance, urged the board to make a strong statement.

"Hate has no place in Rialto," Torres said. "Hate has no place in our classrooms."

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U.S. hackers charged, allegedly targeted T.O. cops

Cyber attack. Toronto Police database stored sensitive info on 220,000 service members, including social security numbers and birthdates

A former U.S. Navy nuclear systems administrator has been charged with trying to break into the Toronto Police Service computer system.

There was no immediate word on Thursday on whether Nicholas Knight, 27 of Virginia, had any success in his online attack, as part of a hacking group called "Team Digi7al."

Knight worked on an aircraft carrier in the nuclear reactor department.

Also charged was Illinois community college student Daniel Krueger, who studied network administration.

The men also tried to hack into the computers of more than 30 other organizations, including the U.S. Navy, the U.S. National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Los Alamos National Laboratory and the World Health Organization, according to a statement issued this week from the U.S. Attorney's office for the Northern District of Oklahoma.

The Toronto Police Service and UBC were the only Canadian targets.

Knight and Krueger have each been charged with conspiring to steal identities, obstruct justice and damage a protected computer.

The scheme was detected in June 2012 by the Naval Criminal Investigative Service, when it was alerted that someone had breached the Navy's database, according to the Northern District of Oklahoma's Attorney's Office.

Other targets included eight universities, including the University of British Columbia, Harvard, Johns Hopkins and Stanford, as well as the Montgomery, Ala. police department and the Peruvian Ambassador's email in Bolivia.

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Middle East virus kills four more

Egyptian Muslim pilgrims pray in Mina near the Muslim holy city of Mecca, Saudi Arabia. Four more people have died in Saudi Arabia after contracting an often fatal Middle East respiratory virus as the number of new confirmed infections in the kingdom climbs higher, according to health officials. AMR NABIL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Expert testifies at Pistorius trial

A ballistics expert called Thursday to testify by Oscar Pistorius' defence offered a different explanation to prosecutors for one of the wounds sustained by Reeva Steenkamp when she was shot and killed by the world-famous athlete last year.

Wollie Wolmarans testified his reconstructions of the Feb. 14, 2013 shooting showed that the pattern of wood splinter marks around a gunshot wound on Steenkamp's right arm indicated that the arm was between six and 20 centimetres from a wood toilet door when it was hit by one of four hollow point bullets fired through the door by Pistorius. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Pro-Russian rebels vow referendum will go ahead — despite wishes of Putin

Eastern Ukraine. Insurgents defy call by Russian president to put off Sunday's vote on secession

Denis Pushilin, centre, of the elections commission of the so-called Donetsk People's Republic, speaks Thursday.
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In an obscure government office guarded by a man in a red T-shirt armed only with a stick, two photocopy machines churned out ballots Thursday for eastern Ukraine's referendum on secession.

In apparent defiance of a call by Russian President Vladimir Putin to put off the vote, insurgents in eastern Ukraine insisted Thursday they will go ahead with this Sunday's referendum.

"Putin is seeking a way out of the situation. We are grateful to him for this," said Denis Pushilin, co-chairman of the Donetsk People's Republic, as the pro-Russian rebels call themselves.

"But we are just a bullhorn for the people," he declared. "We just voice what the people want."

Ukraine has in recent weeks grown perilously polarized, with the west looking toward Europe and the east favouring closer ties with Russia. Thursday's pronouncement was likely to further inflame tensions between the interim government in Kyiv that took power in February, and the armed insurgents, who have seized government buildings in more than a dozen cities in the east. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Analysis

Ukrainians want to stay united: Poll

A strong majority of Ukrainians want their country to remain a single, unified state and this is true even in the largely Russian-speaking east where a pro-Russia insurgency has been fighting for autonomy, a poll released Thursday shows.

The survey results were released just hours before the pro-Russia forces in eastern Ukraine said they would go ahead with a referendum on autonomy planned for Sunday.

The poll, by the Pew Research Center in Washington, found that 77 per cent of people nationwide want Ukraine to maintain its current borders, and even in the east the figure is 70 per cent. Only among Russian speakers does the percentage drop significantly, but it is still over half at 58 per cent.

Meanwhile, Canada's foreign affairs minister expressed skepticism Thursday about Russian President Vladimir Putin's pledge to pull his country's troops from Ukraine's border.

``We would obviously want to verify any commitment made by the leadership of the Russian Federation,'' John Baird said.

``Their actions in Ukraine over the past six months have been deplorable.''

Baird's response echoed the view in Washington and at NATO.

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Military was warned ahead of deadly Boko Haram attack: Locals

At least 50 killed.
Villagers criticize failure of security forces

South Africans protest against the abduction three weeks ago of hundreds of schoolgirls in Nigeria by Muslim extremist group Boko Haram and what protesters said was the failure of the Nigerian government to rescue them, during a march to the Nigerian Consulate in Johannesburg, South Africa, Thursday. BEN CURTIS/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Residents of a Nigerian town attacked by Boko Haram criticized security forces for failing to protect them despite warnings that the Islamic militants were nearby. At least 50 bodies have been recovered, many horribly burned, in the town.

The attack on Gamboru, in remote northeastern Nigeria near the border with Cameroon, is part of the Islamic militants' campaign of terror that included the kidnapping of teenaged girls from a school, 276 of whom remain missing and believed held by Boko Haram.

The death toll from the Monday afternoon attack in Gamboru was initially reported by a senator to be as many as 300, but a security official said it is more likely to be around 100. Some Gamboru residents said bodies were recovered from the debris of burned shops around the town's main market, which was the focus of the attack.

The bodies were found after the market reopened on Wednesday as health workers, volunteers and traders searched for missing people, said Gamboru resident Abuwar Masta.

Masta and other traders said that some villagers had warned the security forces of an impending attack after insurgents were seen camping in the bush near Gamboru.

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Missing girls

Equipment deal still in the works

Canada and Nigeria are still negotiating whether the African country will be getting Canadian military surveillance equipment to help in its search for nearly 300 kidnapped teenage girls.

The Harper government has offered to provide surveillance equipment, plus the military personnel to operate it, in an effort to help find the hundreds of teenaged girls abducted by the Boko Haram Islamic militant group last month.

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River slime. Research deems 'rock snot' a rare native species in Canada

It's earned the stomach churning yet accurate nickname "rock snot" and it's clogging river bottoms from coast to coast.

But new research says the green slime is not an invasive species wreaking havoc across Canada and around the world, as once believed.

The study by Environment Canada and Dartmouth College in New Hampshire found the unsightly slime is caused by a native species of algae, Didymosphenia geminata, responding to changing environmental conditions.

"I guess this is in the eyes of the beholder but it doesn't look very good. It's gotten the name 'rock snot' and when there are long filaments of it, it can look like toilet paper," said Brad Taylor, an ecologist at Dartmouth.

In fact, the offending organisms may have been around for thousands of years but their slimy blooms were rare — until now.

Taylor said the possible causes include earlier spring melts.

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Drug regulations

Pot puffers hungry for legal battle

More than 200 people have flooded the Federal Court with lawsuits demanding the right to possess and grow their own medical marijuana.

A judge has put most of the cases on hold until a decision next year.

New regulations were to take effect April 1 restricting medical marijuana production to licensed commercial growers, but an injunction was issued in March that temporarily allowed patients who were previously authorized to grow medical marijuana to continue doing so while some patients challenge the new rules.

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Better late than never for 90-year-old H.S. grad

Walter Ross, 90, reads through his Queen's commission from his days in the military, in Edmonton on Wednesday. JASON FRANSON/THE CANADIAN PRESS

75 years in the making. Dropped out during war to care for family

Walter Ross always wanted to finish high school, and on Thursday night he'll be shuffling across a stage to celebrate his graduation — right after his grandson.

The 90-year-old was recently granted his diploma after leaving high school when he was 15. The province finally credited him with the French course he never passed.

The Edmonton man has been invited to join 307 teenagers from St. Francis Xavier High School as they pull on caps and gowns and get ready for the next phase of their lives.

Ross, a spry, old-fashioned gent with hearing aids in both ears, smiles as he talks about working for 55 years as an insurance salesman, raising seven kids on his own and welcoming 24 grandchildren into the world.

His father had a heart attack when Ross was 15 and in Grade 10, with his two brothers in the army during the Second World War, he left school to care for his dad and look after the family business.

Life went on and he eventually joined the Loyal Edmonton Regiment militia and rose through the ranks to commanding officer. He served two terms as a senator with the University of Alberta, although he never told officials there he didn't finish high school.

At his 90th birthday party in January, he announced to a table full of family that he had a new project: completing Grade 12.

He didn't go back to school, though. A cousin helped him apply to the province and officials granted him a pass on the missing high school course, giving him credits instead for "life experience."

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It's not a great climate for independent bookstores either — but there are some bucking the trend. Scan the photo below with your Metro News app to see a gallery of stores across Canada sharing their secrets to success.

Closing the book on old-fashioned browsing

Inside the now-closed World's Biggest Bookstore in Toronto. DAVID COOPER/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE FILE

A history of bookstores in Canada

1839

The Book Room opens in Halifax and is billed as Canada's first bookstore.

1940

Brothers Carl and Jack Cole open the first Coles Store in Toronto, marking the start of a small bookstore chain.

1995

SmithBooks (which used to be called W.H. Smith) and its main rival Coles merge to form Chapters Inc., marking the start of the nation's first book superstores.

1996

McNally Robinson opens in Winnipeg, described as Canada's largest independent bookstore

2001

Chapters and Indigo merge to create Canada's biggest bookstore chain, Indigo Books & Music Inc. Chapters.ca launches.

2002

Indigo's online rival Amazon.com, which launched in 1995, starts a Canadian version, Amazon.ca.

2008

The Book Room closes after 169 years in business, due to the increased competition from big-box stores.

2009

Indigo launches the Kobo e-reader to much fanfare.

2011

Kobo Inc. is sold to a Japanese firm for $315 million US.

2014

Indigo's The World's Biggest Bookstore and two Chapters stores close in Toronto.

The end of bookstores?

Whether indie or big box, Canadian stores are fighting for survival

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The Sarfraz family pulled into a dark, deserted mall parking lot.

As sunrise approached, Aisha Sarfraz, 8, was joined by other girls in a growing line outside the Indigo bookstore at Yorkdale Mall in Toronto. Just after 7 a.m., Sarfraz got to go behind the black velvet curtain. The girls (with mothers, fathers and brothers in tow) rushed past the books and into the new pink-and-white American Girl store within the Indigo.

"It was fun," said the fan.

The morning ended with another line at the register and a $941 receipt.

The price of the dolls, which start at $125, did not deter more than 5,000 people in Toronto and Vancouver from checking out Indigo CEO Heather Reisman's latest business gambit last weekend. While books become a harder sell, Canada's only national bookstore chain is stocking everything from dolls to Poppin office supplies to toasted coconut marshmallows. For fiscal 2013, its consolidated revenues slid 4.4 per cent to $892.5 million. Reisman is set to announce fiscal 2014 results on May 27.

They declined to comment for this story.

"They're obviously working out what they're going to evolve to," said Maureen Atkinson, a retail analyst at J.C. Williams Group. "Not everything they're testing will be a hit."

Back in 1995, U.S. bookstore giants Barnes & Noble and Borders Group planned to open superstores north of the border. Reisman was head of Cott Beverages, and was approached to lead Borders' bid. The plan was quashed, as it did not meet Canada's ownership policies for foreign booksellers. Borders filed for bankruptcy in 2011. Barnes & Noble's bid also failed and it is limping towards its 100th birthday in 2017.

Reisman, now 65, has proven to be remarkably resilient over the years. After the Borders deal crumbled she opened her first Indigo Books, Music & More store in 1997 in Burlington, Ont. By 2001 Indigo and Chapters merged, effectively giving the tastemaker a monopoly on Canada's book market.

Just like in the board game Monopoly (which you can now buy at Indigo) the dice mostly rolled in Reisman's favour. The superstore format was a hit with consumers and by the end of 2009 the savvy businesswoman had 96 superstores and 151 small-format stores, according to Indigo's financial reports.

But the game is changing. By the end of 2013, Indigo was down to 131 small stores. By the end of May it will have closed three superstores in Toronto this year, including the World's Biggest Bookstore. When a 22,000-square-foot Chapters store closed in Toronto in February, the founder pinned the closures partially on soaring rents. But that's only part of the tale.

"If you are in the book business you have to be online because that's where the customers are," said Atkinson.

Reisman has seen the writing on the wall. At least for now, physical paperback books are still the No. 1 choice for readers, making up 58 per cent of sales in 2012, followed by hardcovers at 24 per cent, according to BookNet, a non-profit that collects data on the industry. But many of those books are now bought online.

Indigo launched chapters.indigo.ca in 2001. In 2002 Amazon.ca, the Canadian version of Amazon.com, came along. Amazon is now the world's largest online retailer, with revenue of $74.5 billion US in 2013.

Selling online cuts overhead costs, but it is cut-throat. The "Heathers Kids Pick" The Day the Crayons Quit is $19 in Indigo stores, but $13.72 in the online store for Plum Rewards users — the same price as on Amazon.ca. Price-matching seems to be working. From Oct. to Dec. 2013, Indigo's online sales surged 19.3 per cent to a record $41.5 million, said a release. And then there's ebooks.

Indigo launched the e-reader Kobo to much fanfare in 2010. By the end of 2011 Kobo Inc. was sold for $315 million US. It's looking like a smart move as a 2013 BookNet study found the appetite has already plateaued at about 15 per cent. A Pew Research Center report shows 32 per cent of ebook readers read them on their phones, while 78 per cent of tablet owners read them on those devices.

But the competition for ebooks remains stiff. The Day the Crayons Quit is $11.99 for the Kobo edition, while Amazon.ca's Kindle version is $8.99.

The young Aisha is a bit old-fashioned. She still buys the real thing in person at Yorkdale's Indigo. Her mother and little brother usually tag along. The store is trying hard to appeal to mothers too, offering everything from Godiva chocolates to a 50-per-cent off sale this week on five books for Mother's Day. But Aisha's mother, Sarah, can't recall ever buying anything for herself.

"I'm not a reader, I'm a movie person," she said.

If Indigo is to make it to its 20-year anniversary and beyond it will have to find a way to get all those moms, dads and brothers who lined up alongside the girls for the American Girl store to buy something too.

Closures

What we lose

When Harry meets Sally again it is in the self-help section of a New York City bookstore.

In the rom-com classic Billy Crystal (Harry) and Meg Ryan (Sally) eventually live happily ever after, after bumping into each other at a Shakespeare & Co. store.

Whether you are looking to pick up a book or a long-lost lover, when we lose bookstores we lose the possibility of running into an old friend, or making a new one, between the book stacks.

The bestselling fantasy writer and bookstore fanatic Guy Gavriel Kay recently lost his favourite local haunt, Book City. He would often pop in to see what would pop up and tickle his fancy.

Aisha Sarfraz, 8, waits in line outside an Indigo shop in Toronto. CONTRIBUTED

Hopping online is just not the same.

If the 1989 flick was set in 2014 perhaps Sally would have popped up on Harry's Twitter feed. Perhaps he would have just scrolled right past her.

"A lot of our culture today narrows us to our own online community of shared tastes and views. A bookstore is wide open and that helps make us wider and more open," writes Kay over email.

"We risk losing that as bookstores close."

See that symbol? Use your Metro News app to watch the Hawkwoods discuss their health concerns in their own words.

Is the real cost of fracking

Metro wraps up its look at the controversial practice.

Alberta couple blames nearby operations for hair loss, nosebleeds

CAM TUCKER
Metro in Vancouver

Nielle Hawkwood began noticing that her hair was falling out about four years ago. She also began experiencing skin irritation — as did her husband, Howard — as well as nosebleeds.

Two years ago, she was diagnosed with alopecia, which causes significant hair loss.

"The dermatologist said something has affected my immune system," said Nielle, during a visit in April to the couple's 456-hectare cattle ranch nestled amongst the rolling brown hills north of Calgary. They have been there for 34 years and it's been in Howard's family since 1972.

Both Nielle and Howard believe their recent health problems are the result of an increase in fracking wells being drilled in the area — 110 in the past four years and another 39 projected for this year. The closest is four kilometres from their ranch.

They assert that the hair loss, skin irritation and nosebleeds did not exist before the rise of fracking in the area.

For its part, Lochend Industry Producers Group (LIPG), which consists of four different oil and gas companies active in the area, says there has been no water contamination and that the risk of water or air contamination to people living within 10 kilometres from a fracking well is "exceedingly" small.

The companies set surface casings — a concrete and steel barrier that line the well to prevent fracking fluid from entering the ground water — to 600 metres, double the required regulatory depths in the Lochend area.

As well, the group says, the productive fracking zone is approximately 2,200 metres below the ground, far below a typical water well that sits at around 45 metres deep.

But the health issues raised by the Hawkwoods could prove a cautionary tale for residents and industry in Northeast B.C., where a massive expansion of shale gas fracking is underway.

"I think those are fair and legitimate questions that the public are asking," said Geoff Morrison, the manager of B.C. operations for the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers, about health and environmental concerns.

"We're trying to do an improved job of reassuring the public about our practices so they can come to reasonable conclusions about safety.

"Social licences have two components: One is doing the right thing and being regulated in the proper way, and the other is communications. For us, in B.C. … we've been well-regulated and are doing the right thing."

Howard and Nielle Hawkwood MATT KIELTYKA/METRO IN VANCOUVER

A recent study by the Council of Canadian Academies found human health and well-being may be affected by the various environmental effects resulting from shale gas development.

"Health impacts are not well understood and additional research is required," the report concluded.

Metro requested an interview with Alberta's Ministry of Health about any health complaints near the Hawkwoods' ranch and related to fracking, but a spokesperson was not made available.

The Hawkwoods, however, aren't only worried about their own health.

Last spring and summer, the Hawkwoods say 18 of their cows died, while seven others appeared thin and unhealthy, and did not calve.

A necropsy of one female bovine conducted last April — the document of the testing was viewed by two Metro reporters — noted the cause of death was undetermined, but the Hawkwoods believe water contamination was the cause and fracking the culprit.

The sudden deaths of some of the Hawkwood's cows not only has a financial impact — each cow is worth about $1,800 — but also to the reputation of his ranch.

LIPG points out that it receives very few concerns and most of those are focused on increased traffic, dust and noise associated with increased activity. They say member companies take complaints very seriously and the majority of concerns are answered to the complainant's satisfaction.

"There has been a very small group of residents who individually and collectively have expressed their opposition to resource development and we continue to work with them to address their concerns," said LIPG in an email.

However, with their growing concern over health and environmental effects, the Hawkwoods have contemplated moving away from their ranch, which has been in their family for five decades.

"I'm a little bit upset about it. So where do I go? I love living in the area."

Howard Hawkwood has experienced skin irriation, which he believes was caused by fracking activity near his ranch. A study by the Council of Canadian Academies found "additional research is required" on health impacts of fracking. MATT KIELTYKA/METRO

Call for a moratorium

The Hawkwoods are among a group of Alberta residents who have issued an open letter to Premier Dave Hancock demanding a moratorium on horizontal fracking, similar to bans in place in Quebec, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland and Labrador.

Pits of dead moose and loss of wildlife habitat

A pit, one of many along the Alaska Highway, contains the carcass of a moose. MATT KIELTYKA/METRO IN VANCOUVER

If you pull over on northeastern B.C.'s Alaska Highway and drive a few hundred metres into the bush, you'll smell it first. Then you'll see flies buzzing over a deep pit. It is filled with decomposing moose carcasses.

These pits dot the highway, said Carl Gitscheff of the B.C. Wildlife Federation — the final resting places of the large animals killed by the high traffic of trucks and transport trailers required by the gas industry. He estimates that more than a dozen moose are killed daily.

While Gitscheff, a trapper and hunter in the region, hasn't noticed any mutations or internal health problems in the animals, the gas industry's massive footprint has carved out crucial pieces of wildlife habitat.

They're competing for land because good oil and gas country, he says, is also good wildlife country.

"When you have a geological formation that makes coal and oil and gas, for whatever reason it's also good for wildlife."

Pipeline right of ways can destroy wildlife connections between land and water, he said. He added that one solution would be boring underground to build instead of digging the surface.

Exploration activity can destroy trees and scare away female animals who nest in them, leaving young marten and fisher to die.

"Companies should be obligated to mitigate this. Who's going to push that? The public." EMILY JACKSON/METRO IN VANCOUVER

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- **Photo gallery.** For a tour of the Hawkwood ranch near Cochrane, Alta., visit metronews.ca.

our health?

Future of fracking

'We can do better'

There's a prevailing sense in the north that no matter what, companies will frack the land to get to the gas.

Regardless of where people fall on the spectrum between welcoming economic growth and wanting to stop fracking for fear of side effects on health and the land, they all seem to believe one thing: If development is going to happen, it can be done better.

On the relationship between companies and communities

"Can we do better? Absolutely."

— Geoff Morrison, manager of B.C. operations for the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers

On where pipelines are placed and wildlife impact studies

"We have science, we have technology, we can do a better job. There's no doubt about it, and it's to the industry's benefit to do a better job."

— Carl Gitscheff of the B.C. Wildlife Federation

On B.C.'s striving to be a world leader in environmental practices

"We can harvest the resources we have and leave a lighter footprint. We can do better. We have that opportunity here in British Columbia."

— Fort St. John, B.C. mayor Lori Ackerman

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The best of the best?

"We in British Columbia do fracking better than anybody else in the world."

B.C. Premier Christy Clark

B.C. Premier Christy Clark is a staunch supporter of fracking. THANDI FLETCHER/METRO IN VANCOUVER

Cracks in foundation

Report on safety. B.C. unmoved as rest of the country remains fractured on fracking

MATT KIELTYKA
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There are mounting calls for British Columbia to join other provinces and ease its foot off the liquefied natural gas (LNG) pedal to better study the health and environmental impacts of fracking.

The Council of Canadian Academies (CCA) last week released a report concluding that there isn't enough scientific study about the impacts of fracking to declare it safe.

The independent report specifically cited concerns about well integrity, emissions and the possibility of water contamination.

Quebec, Nova Scotia, and Newfoundland and Labrador have all had similar concerns and placed moratoriums on the practice.

But the B.C. government has refused to do the same.

"I don't agree with [the CCA]," Rich Coleman, the minister responsible for LNG, told media. "[The report] does not give me any cause for concern because I know we already study this on a regular basis. We track it on a regular basis and we know what our stats are. I think we have it pretty much right."

Lack of confidence

Not everyone shares the government's confidence.

The proposed TransCanada North Montney Mainline project in northeast B.C. would see a 301-kilometre pipeline carry natural gas through Halfway River First Nation territory.

"The elders look out their back window and that line will be right there," said Halfway River Chief Darlene Hunter. "It's just like me coming into your backyard and ripping up your place and being OK with that."

Striking a balance between economic development and health concerns has been a challenge for many First Nations, according to Prophet River Chief Lynette Tsakoza.

"Right now it's a big concern," Tsakoza said. "Every nation wants economic development, and at the same time we're trying to fight for our territory, our environment and our water. Everything."

Fears around fracking

Dr. Warren Bell, a family physician in Salmon Arm, B.C. and founding member of the Canadian Association of Physicians for the Environment, believes the fears around fracking are justified.

"There's abundant evidence in the Eastern States where fracking has been going on for some time. You've heard of a burning drinking water scenario, and that's because chemicals have come up far, far away from the well site simply because in this process of fracturing, you allow gases to escape. Methane plus the chemicals used in fracking, some of which are carcinogens, are starting to appear in places they shouldn't be."

The province has commissioned its own human health assessment into oil and gas development in northeast B.C., which is currently underway by a company called Intrinsik Environmental Services.

The findings are expected to be handed over to the Ministry of Health sometime this summer.

Fort St. John Mayor Lori Ackerman, who wants to see increased air monitoring in her city, said the community welcomes the study.

"If there are issues, then necessity is the mother of all invention and let's take a look at how we can correct that," Ackerman said. "If we don't have baseline [air quality] information, then this is a way to get it, through this study."

Critics, however, are concerned the findings may fall on deaf ears.

The NDP Opposition has accused the provincial government of undermining the environment with regulation changes that allow for gas development on protected agricultural and park lands.

The Liberals also attempted to scrap the environmental assessment process for sweet natural gas plants in April.

But those plans were reversed within hours after government and industry reps were ejected from an LNG conference hosted by shocked and angry First Nations leaders in Fort Nelson.

Forced to apologize

Environment Minister Mary Polak was forced to apologize for "failing to discuss the amendment with First Nations prior to its approval."

West Coast Environmental Law Association lawyer Anna Johnston warned the steps amount to "a slide towards environmental deregulation."

That hasn't stopped the government from trying to reassure the public that fracking — so integral to B.C.'s economic outlook — is safe.

"We in British Columbia do fracking better than anybody else in the world," Premier Christy Clark told Metro after announcing an LNG trade mission to Asia on April 30. "We learn from what we do here because, in 50 years of fracking, there hasn't been a single reported case of water contamination in British Columbia. That's a pretty good record."

WITH FILES FROM THANDI FLETCHER

Fly to N.Y.C. for $100! Oh, plus lots of fees and taxes

Airlines tried and failed to block a federal rule in the U.S. making them tell passengers up front the full cost of airfare, including government taxes and fees. So they're trying another route, asking Congress to do what the Obama administration and the courts refused to do: roll back the law.

A bill in Congress would allow airlines to return to their old way of doing things, which was to emphasize in ads the base airfare — the amount airlines charge passengers to fly — but reveal the full price including taxes and fees separately.

Before the Transportation Department put its regulation in place two years ago, airlines and ticketing services would typically display the lower base fare in large type and show taxes and fees in small print. Consumers shopping online often weren't shown taxes and fees unless they scrolled to the bottom of the web page or clicked through several pages after selecting a flight.

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A downer. U.S. insurers wary about covering pot

Patients who use medical marijuana for pain and other chronic symptoms can take an unwanted hit: Insurers don't cover the treatment, which costs as much as $1,000 US a month.

Once the drug of choice for hippies and rebellious teens, marijuana in recent years has gained more mainstream acceptance for its ability to boost appetite, dull pain and reduce seizures in everyone from epilepsy to cancer patients in America.

Still, insurers are reluctant to cover it, in part because of conflicting laws. While 21 U.S. states have passed laws approving it for medical use, the drug still is illegal federally and in most states.

But perhaps the biggest hurdle for insurers is the U.S. Food and Drug Administration hasn't approved it. Major insurers generally don't cover treatments that are not approved by the FDA, and that approval depends on big clinical studies that measure safety, effectiveness and side effects.

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A man who suffers from epileptic seizures and leg pain from a childhood case of polio prepares a medical marijuana joint in California. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tim Hortons takes a swing at McDonald's

New items coming.

The coffee and doughnut chain wants to eat into other fast-food franchises' lunch by serving up more midday options

The iconic coffee and doughnut chain aims to lure you back after your morning cup of Joe with lunch options that rival other fast-food chains' offerings. FACEBOOK

Tim Hortons chief executive Marc Caira says he wants the chain to be a priority for Canadians at the lunch hour.

The CEO said Thursday that he's determined to make the company the lunchtime leader among quick-food outlets through its growing variety of sandwiches, grilled paninis and other offerings.

"In this low-growth era you need to aggressively go after these segments because there's potential to grow," he said in an interview after the company's shareholders meeting.

Caira said the recent launch of its crispy chicken sandwich is helping the company achieve the goal of presenting itself as an alternative to its biggest competitors, which include McDonald's and Burger King.

At the same time, Caira wants to focus more on nutrition, emphasizing that his company's chicken sandwich contains more protein and less fat than comparable offerings.

"Our responsibility is to make the product as healthy as possible and provide you the information to help you make the right decision," he said. "It's very easy to make (a) donut really, really healthy. The problem is you wouldn't buy it because there's no taste." Caira said the national coffee and doughnut chain needs to move faster to test and launch food items as it faces off against aggressive competitors. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Messaging app

Snapchat settles with FTC over false privacy claims

Snapchat has agreed to settle with the U.S. Federal Trade Commission over charges that it deceived customers about the disappearing nature of messages sent through its service and that it collected users' contacts without telling them or asking permission.

The messaging app lets users send pics, videos and messages that disappear.

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Breakfast of champions

How about a BK Whopper to start your day off right?

Burger King has some new additions to its breakfast menu in the U.S. — its flame-broiled burgers.

The Burgers at Breakfast menu includes its whoppers, cheeseburgers and big king sandwiches, as well as its original chicken sandwich, french fries and apple pie. The items are offered alongside the chain's normal breakfast menu.

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Nothing artificial?

Turns out Kashi products not 'All Natural' after all

Kellogg says it will no longer use the All Natural or Nothing Artificial labels on certain Kashi products as part of an agreement to settle a class-action lawsuit.

The suit accused Kashi of misleading people by stamping the phrase "All Natural "or "Nothing Artificial" on products that contained a variety of synthetic and artificial ingredients.

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1 **Keep on Tweetin'.** Twitter stock plummeted to record lows this week when it was revealed that the social media monster fell far short of projected growth. Is it ironic that this was one of the top trending news items on Twitter?

2 **Best of 'gluck.** Thailand's prime minister, Yingluck Shinawatra, was ousted from office by the Constitutional Court in Bangkok this week. The claim is that of alleged "abuse of power" which is not only controversial, but makes me wonder if we're even still talking about politics.

3 **Missing Mayor.** I never thought I'd see the day when we'd be looking for Rob Ford, let alone that he would be hard to find.

4 **High praise.** Pope Francis decided to wing it in his Palm Sunday homily, calling on people to look into their own hearts to see how they're living and then into their phones to snap them some selfies. He then hopped on the pope-mobile, pointed, winked, and said "Keep it real, homies." #OMGCoolestPopeEver

5 **Northern bliss.** Canada ranked fifth on the Better Life Index based on a survey of what people believe to be the "most important factors for quality of life." Countries ahead of us included Denmark, Sweden and Norway, leading me to believe that the "most important factors" are skiing, bobsledding, and hockey.

6 **#VegasBaby.** Ben Affleck won so much money on Black Jack that he was banned by the Hard Rock Casino for allegedly counting cards. This, in my opinion, is an impressive skill for which the victor deserves the spoils. Know anyone who's been banned for losing too much? Think about it while I go play basketball against eight-year-olds for money.

7 **Sound of music.** It's Canadian Music Week in Toronto. Great time to witness amazing burgeoning talent from other parts of the country and beyond. When I hear American divas complain about not making enough money and playing half-empty venues, I always say, "There are starving artists in Canada who would kill to have what you have!" And we laugh. Then I think about it, and it's actually not that funny. #CMW2014

8 **Cold truth.** Our nation's only current NHL playoff team is Montreal, but many Canucks seem unwilling to support "les Canadiens," and I believe that Lord Stanley would be turning over in his silver-plated grave. The Parti Québécois lost the election. The least we can do is cheer for the Habs because the closest the rest of us will get to a championship is eating a Stanley Cup doughnut at Tim Hortons. #GoHabsGo

9 **Shattered (hoop) dreams.** The Toronto Raptors, who had come so far, fell just one point short of advancing to the second round on Sunday. On the bright side, the Brooklyn Nets suffered a humiliating defeat at the hands of the Miami Heat. That shouldn't make me feel any better, but somehow it just does.

ZOOM

Yes, I do have a frog in my throat

This is not the first time Angus James saved a frog from peril. "Funnily enough, when I was a kid one of my fondest memories is of saving tree frogs by picking them up off the road and into a bucket. Then I'd release them into the safety of the bush," he said. COURTESY ANGUS JAMES

Q&A

Avoiding croaking in the jaws of death

Meet the perch that literally had a frog in its throat. Angler Angus James was left gobsmacked when he discovered a green tree frog inside the mouth of the fish he caught in northern Queensland, Australia. James tells Metro about the moment when he realized something fishy was going on.

The frog had just survived being eaten and you had just pulled off this amazing catch, so who had the bigger smile? We both had pretty big smiles but I reckon his was bigger after he'd jumped out of the fish's mouth.

It looks like the frog was hitching a jaw-side ride. But what actually happened? The perch must have just eaten the frog like a minute before I caught it. Normally fish like that go for smaller insects but maybe he was stocking up.

When did you realize that you'd caught a 2-for-1? I wasn't sure what it was at first — it looked like a splodge of green. Then as I was removing the lure from the perch's mouth, the frog blinked. That's when I noticed what it was, and I quickly reached for my camera before it leapt over my shoulder.

You must have cat-like reactions to have managed to get your camera out in time. I used to be in the military, so I reckon the training kicked in. I whipped the camera out of my webbing (bag) and took the pic. But it wasn't till later that I realized just how funny the smiling frog looked.

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Drop the needle

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You've likely heard a freshly inked pal describe the addictive nature of getting tattooed, that the first design often kicks off a yearning for the next session in the chair.

They may have also mentioned that the feeling fades in due course. But, if you happen to have a loved one in your life who you think might be ready to go a little overboard with the tats, perhaps this extremely slow motion clip of the messy, jiggly ordeal will provide a little perspective. Unless the pain is part of the pleasure, that is. (Via Tatted Up)

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It's all good in the 'hood

Reel Guys

RICHARD CROUSE AND MARK BRESLIN

Neighbors opens in theatres this weekend. CONTRIBUTED

Synopsis

Seth Rogen and Rose Byrne star as Mac and Kelly, aging hipsters and parents to newborn Stella. Their quiet suburban life is uprooted when unruly frat boys led by Teddy (Zac Efron) and Pete (Dave Franco) move in next door. "Make sure that if we're too noisy, call me," says Teddy on the eve of a big blowout. "Don't call the cops." When the house party spirals out of control, the couple has to call the police, thereby violating the fragile "circle of trust" between the two households. Trust broken, petty resentments trigger a Hatfield and McCoy's style feud between Teddy and Company and Mac and Kelly.

- Richard: ●●●●○
- Mark: ●●●○○

Neighbors. Frat boy humour is always funny — but Seth Rogen and Rose Byrne bring some maturity to the fold

Richard: Mark, there's an old saying that goes, "You can choose your friends, but you can't choose your family." True enough, but as this movie teaches us, you should add neighbours to the "cannot choose" list. Living next door to the frat boys would be a nightmare in real life, but in reel life, it's a great situation for humour. The movie is not so much a story as it is an idea played out in a series of gags, but it is funny. Raunchy, but funny.

Mark: Also a movie that would have us believe there are no zoning bylaws in this fictitious college town. And Richard, I half agree with you. There are two movies here. One is the story of a young married couple with a baby; the other, the story of a bunch of frat-house goofs. The former is extremely funny: Seth Rogen and Rose Byrne have a comedic chemistry as good as any great vaudeville duo. The frat boys, unfortunately, are mostly indistinguishable and their scenes made me long for Animal House. Why cast the wonderful Christopher Mintz-Plasse and give him so little to do?

RC: I wondered that as well, but let's face it, in the frat house side of things, Efron's abs are the star. And his hair. And toothy grin. No room for the less physical charms of Mintz-Plasse. The real charm here, though, as you say, lies with Rogen and Byrne. They have great chemistry, and are a natural match — like frat boys and bongs. Their story doesn't hinge on the war with the neighbours, however, as much as it does the way they battle against growing up. Their need to be thought of as cool while still being responsible adults, is very funny and adds a nice subtext to what could have been simply a very silly comedy.

MB: And in this way, the movie could be seen as a sequel to Knocked Up. Both films deal with Rogen as a dad and a late bloomer to maturity. Neighbours wouldn't be nearly as successful if the couple were older or stuffier. It hits the right note of them being almost young enough to take part in frat-house shenanigans, but not with the responsibility of a newborn. As a recent first-time dad, I can tell you they got all those jokes right. But, Richard, I still laughed the hardest at some of the physical stuff. The airbag sequence is bound to be a classic.

RC: The airbag gags made me laugh, for sure, but the real treat for me was watching Rose Byrne, in her natural Aussie accent, outcursing and outdoing Rogen with razor-sharp comic timing.

MB: Or check out her seduction scene of two frat kids — one male, one female — which will get an applause break from the audience every time!

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With the new Godzilla film hitting North American shores on May 16th, it's time to brush up on the legendary monster movies. Spanning 60 years and 30 films, Godzilla has run the gamut from topical war metaphor to so-bad-they're-good B-movies. So without further adieu, it's time for a monster movie marathon.

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5 Must-see Godzilla flicks

Gojira (1954)

Despite the franchise's low-rent reputation, the first-ever Godzilla film was much more than a special effects laden cheap thrill. In Japan, Godzilla himself was an allegory for something very real and very devastating: the atomic bomb. The negative effects of atom and hydrogen bomb testing were a contemporary reality in 1950s Japan, and Godzilla — a horrific force of destruction born out of nuclear testing — was their avatar. As the vengeful King of Monsters stomped through a grainy black-and-white Tokyo, raining radioactive death on a helpless city, Japanese audiences reportedly watched in "sombre silence, broken by periodic weeping." That according to the New York Times.

The Return of Godzilla (1984)

After decades of increasingly silly and light-hearted films, the Godzilla franchise was laid to rest in 1975 with Terror of Mechagodzilla. The big guy would rise again nearly 10 years later in The Return of Godzilla — a movie that saw the restoration of the malevolent monster that first emerged from the Pacific Ocean in 1954. Gone were the laughable monster sidekicks, and the basement-budget special effects. Facing off against the Japanese military and their ultimate anti-Godzilla weapon, this would be one of the only Godzilla films ever made not to feature an enemy kaiju (giant monster).

Godzilla (1998)

Hollywood's first attempt at an American Godzilla flick crashed and burned in spectacular fashion, tanking at the box office and ticking off old-school Godzilla fans, who struggled to recognize the iconic monster's T-Rex style makeover. A "lobotomized" (as one writer puts it) plot and poor acting earned the film the 1998 Raspberry for Worst Remake or Sequel. The movie was so bad, Toho went out of its way to acknowledge the American Godzilla as a completely separate entity from the "real" King of Monsters, and would poke fun at it in movies to come.

Destroy All Monsters (1968)

This is rubber-suit-wearing, cardboard-city-destroying action at its finest. There are spaceships, aliens, and yes, *monsters*. Eleven of them, actually. When the world's kaiju (giant monsters) start going haywire and attacking various capital cities around the globe, it turns out a race of all-female silver-jumpsuit-wearing aliens are behind it, using mind-control devices on the monsters and levelling the Earth. Unlike its illustrious predecessor of the 1950s, Destroy all Monsters is pure B-movie shlock. With amusingly poor special effects, hilarious English dubbing, wild editing, and just general nonsensical plot elements, it's a monster-mash that's so bad, it's good.

Godzilla 2000 (1999)

In 1999, Toho — the company behind each and every Japanese Godzilla film — rebooted the franchise for a third time with Godzilla 2000, a classically minded modern take on the king of kaiju. Godzilla 2000 combined the old-school master model work that made Godzilla famous in the first place with the computer-generated special effects of a new age. The result was a film that retained all the cheesy charm of the Godzilla of yesteryear, with the best special effects of the day. Unlike its 1954 or 1985 counterparts, Godzilla 2000 doesn't it take itself too seriously.

Movies. Gerard Butler makes his Point and Breaks from film remake

Gerard Butler has left the Point Break remake.

The Point Break schedule clashed with that of the Olympus Has Fallen sequel for the 300 and How to Train Your Dragon actor.

Butler had been in place to play the role of Bodhi, originally portrayed by Patrick Swayze in the 1991 surf-and-bank-heist original, while Luke Bracey (G.I. Joe: Retaliation) is FBI agent Johnny Utah (originally Keanu Reeves), tasked with infiltrating Bodhi's gang.

The split results from both creative differences and scheduling issues, according to sources speaking with The Hollywood Reporter, with Point Break to shoot from June and London Has Fallen calling its returning cast to set in August.

That means a new Bodhi for Alcon Entertainment (April 2014's Transcendence) and director Ericson Core (2006 sports film Invincible), with Alcon determined to stick to its original start date for Point Break.

AFP

Gerard Butler AFP

Ratings and synopses courtesy of Rotten Tomatoes. For more movie reviews, trailers and news go to RottenTomatoes.com. **Ratings:** *Certified Fresh:* *Fresh:* *Rotten:* *Audience response:* *Audience anticipation for the film:*

Action/Sci-fi

Nymphomaniac

Director. Lars von Trier

Stars. Stellan Skarsgård, Charlotte Gainsbourg

Nymphomaniac: Volume I is the story of Joe (Charlotte Gainsbourg), a self-diagnosed nymphomaniac who is discovered badly beaten in an alley by an older bachelor, Seligman (Stellan Skarsgård), who takes her into his home. As he tends to her wounds, she recounts the erotic story of her adolescence and young-adulthood (portrayed in flashback by newcomer Stacy Martin).

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 80% **Audience:** 89%

Comedy

Moms' Night Out

Director. Andrew Erwin (II) , Jon Erwin

Stars. Patricia Heaton, Sarah Drew

All Allyson and her friends want is a peaceful, grown-up evening of dinner and conversation — a long-needed moms' night out. But in order to enjoy high heels, adult conversation and food not served in a paper bag, they need their husbands to watch the kids for three hours ...What could go wrong?

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 21% **Audience:** 88%

Documentary

Tim's Vermeer

Director. Teller

Stars. Tim Jenison, David Hockney

Tim Jenison, a Texas based inventor, (Video Toaster, LightWave, TriCaster) attempts to solve one of the greatest mysteries in all art: How did 17th century Dutch master Johannes Vermeer (Girl with a Pearl Earring) manage to paint so photo-realistically — 150 years before the invention of photography? The epic research project Jenison embarks on to test his theory is as extraordinary as what he discovers.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 91% **Audience:** 84%

Family

Legends of Oz: Dorothy's Return

Director. Dan St. Pierre , Will Finn

Stars. Lea Michele, Jim Belushi

Legends of Oz: Dorothy's Return is a 3D-animated musical based on the adventure books by Roger Stanton Baum, the great-grandson of L. Frank Baum. A continuation of one of the world's most popular and beloved fairy tales, Legends of Oz finds Dorothy (Lea Michele) waking to post-tornado Kansas, only to be whisked back to Oz to try to save her old friends.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 0% **Audience:** 75%

Drama

The Railway Man

Director. Jonathan Teplitzky

Stars. Colin Firth, Nicole Kidman

Based on the bestselling autobiography, The Railway Man tells the epic true story of Eric Lomax (Colin Firth), a British Army officer who is tormented as a prisoner of war at a Japanese labour camp during World War II. Decades later, Lomax and his beautiful love interest Patti (Nicole Kidman) discover that the Japanese interpreter responsible for much of his treatment is still alive and set out to confront him.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 65% **Audience:** 73%

Horror

The Quiet Ones

Director. John Pogue

Stars. Jared Harris, Sam Claflin

From the producer who brought you The Woman In Black and Let Me In comes the unnerving tale of The Quiet Ones. Tucked away in an estate outside of London, Professor Coupland along with a team of university students conduct an "experiment" on Jane Harper, a young girl who harbours unspeakable secrets. What dark forces they uncover are more terrifying than any of them expected.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 50% **Audience:** 85%

Ben Affleck. Star's feature put on back burner in favour of superhero flick

Batman film to star Ben Affleck pushes back his own film. CONTRIBUTED

Initially slated for release in December 2015, Ben Affleck's forthcoming feature Live by Night is now expected to arrive in theatres one year later, in October 2016 — one-upped by an upcoming Batman movie in which Affleck also stars.

Warner Bros. announced that it has pushed back the release of Live by Night, which Ben Affleck is set to direct. The delay was seen as inevitable by the director and the studios, the Hollywood Reporter indicates.

In fact, Live by Night is not the only project forced to adapt its plans due to Zack Snyder's superhero movie, which is officially untitled but is being referred to in the Hollywood press as Batman vs. Superman or Batman-Superman. The feature, in which Ben Affleck will play Batman, was itself pushed forward by a year and is now expected in theatres in May 2016.

Live by Night, a drama based on Dennis Lehane's novel of the same name, will be produced by Leonardo DiCaprio. Affleck will direct the feature and star as Joe Coughlin, son of a Boston cop who turns to bootleg rum trafficking during the Prohibition.

Batman vs. Superman is scheduled to begin filming soon in Detroit. AFP

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The Quiet Ones (14A) Fri 7:10-9:45 Sat-Mon 1-3:20-7:10-9:45 Tue-Wed 7:10-9:45
Rio 2 (G) Fri 6:55-9:20 Sat-Mon 10-1:10-6:55-9:20 Tue-Thu 6:55-9:20
Rio 2 3D (G) Sat-Mon 3:15
Transcendence (PG) Fri-Thu 9:10

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Captain America: The Winter Soldier (PG) Fri 1:20 Sat 12:30 Sun 12:50 Mon-Thu 12:55
Captain America: The Winter Soldier 3D (PG) Fri 4:30-7:45-10:50 Sat 3:45-10 Sun 4-7:15-10:30 Mon-Thu 3:55-7-10:05
Divergent (PG) Fri 12:40-3:55-7:10-10:25 Sat 11-7:10-10:25 Sun 12:40-3:55-7:10-10:25 Mon-Wed 12:50-3:55-7:10-10:25 Thu 12:50-3:55
Godzilla 3D (PG) No Passes Thu 7:30-10:30
Godzilla: An IMAX 3D Experience (PG) No Passes Thu 7-10
Heaven Is for Real (G) Fri 1:50-4:25-7:20-9:55 Sat 11:10-1:50-4:25-7:20-9:55 Sun 11:55-2:20-4:50-7:20-9:55 Mon-Wed 1:50-4:25-7:20-9:55 Thu 1:35-4:10-7:20-9:55
Legends of Oz: Dorothy's Return (G) Fri 12:10 Sat 12:05 Sun 12:10 Mon-Tue 2:35 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1:30 Thu 2:35
Legends of Oz: Dorothy's Return 3D (G) Fri 2:35-5-7:25 Sat 2:30-4:55-7:20 Sun 2:35-5-7:25 Mon-Thu 5-7:25
Metropolitan Opera: La Cenerentola (STC) Sat 11:55

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Million Dollar Arm (G) No Passes Sat 7 No Passes Thu 7
Moms' Night Out (PG) No Passes Fri-Sat 12:20-2:50-5:15-7:50-10:20 No Passes Sun 12:15-2:45-5:15-7:50-10:20 No Passes Mon 2-4:50-7:50-10:20 No Passes Tue 2:45-5:15-7:45-10:10 No Passes Wed 5:15-7:45-10:10 No Passes Thu 2:45-5:15-7:45-10:10 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Wed 1:30
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Short Peace (PG) Wed 7:30
Tooth Fairy (G) Sat 11
Trailer Park Boys: Don't Legalize It (14A) Fri 9:50 Sat 9:45 Sun-Thu 9:50

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Captain America: The Winter Soldier (PG) Fri-Wed 1 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
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Willow Smith and Moises Arias INSTAGRAM

Cool mom Jada OK with Willow's bedroom photo

Willow Smith's mom Jada Pinkett-Smith has strong feelings about photos of her 13-year-old daughter in bed with an adult man: She's strongly cool with it. Pictures surfaced earlier this week of Willow Smith in bed with her friend, 20-year-old Moises Arias. It's not as bad as it sounds at first blush: Willow's fully clothed (though Arias is shirtless) and they don't appear to be touching. But we're still talking a kid in bed with a grown man, which was enough to make the Internet uncomfortable.

Willow's mom Jada, though, says the pic is fine. "Here's the deal: There was nothing sexual about that picture or that situation," the actress told TMZ. "You guys are projecting your trash onto it, and you're acting like covert pedophiles, and that's not cool."

Indeed, a look at Arias' website reveals that this pic is nothing special: He's got tons of shots of his friends, and pretty much never wears a shirt.

'People are going to get sick of me,' says J-Law

Jennifer Lawrence GETTY IMAGES

Jennifer Lawrence tries to ignore most of the stuff written about her, but she's not completely immune. "The first thing I'm doing after I leave this interview is Googling 'Jennifer Lawrence backlash,'" she tells Marie Claire. "Nobody can stay beloved forever. I never believed it, the whole time. I was like, 'Just wait. People are going to get sick of me.' My picture is everywhere, my interviews are everywhere. It's something I always tell myself: 'You need to calm the f— down. You don't want to constantly be a GIF.'"

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Meeting Justin Bieber was superbad, Seth Rogen says

MELINDA TAUB
Metro World News

It's on: Seth Rogen has become one of the first celebrities to call Justin Bieber out on his crap.

The comedian says his Bieber-related distaste goes back to the early days of Bieber fever. Bieber and Rogen were both backstage at a German talk show when word came that the singer had requested to meet the comedian. "I was like, 'Sure, I'll meet him,'" Rogen told Howard Stern.

"So I went outside to meet him and he was acting like I asked to meet HIM! It was very nonchalant, 'Yo man. What's up?' and I was like, 'What the f—, I don't give a f— about (you), I don't want to meet you. Don't act all nonplussed to meet me. I didn't want to meet you. I was totally cool not meeting you ... But I was like, fine, I wouldn't have said anything, I was like, 'He's a bit of a motherf—er.'"

Yesterday, Bieber responded via Twitter, casting the incident in a somewhat different light: "Seth Rogan (sic) sorry I didnt (sic) bow down when I asked 2 meet u was probably a bit shy and didn't want to be over the top but still. love ur movies."

Aww. I might be inclined to believe that he was just shy, if I hadn't heard literally dozens of stories of him acting like a rude little punk.

Angelina Jolie GETTY IMAGES

Angelina never thought she'd find happily ever after

Angelina Jolie admits that her thriving home life with Brad Pitt and their six kids comes as something of a surprise to her. "I never thought I'd have children, I never thought I'd be in love, I never thought I'd meet the right person," she tells Elle magazine. "Having come from a broken home, you kind of accept that certain things feel like a fairy tale, and you just don't look for them." Maybe that explains some of Jolie's wilder behaviour in her 20s, actions she insists were "misinterpreted as (me) wanting to be rebellious," she says. "And in fact it wasn't a need to be destructive or rebellious. It's that need to find a full voice, to push open the walls around you. You want to be free. And as you start to feel that you are being corralled into a certain life, you kind of push against it. It may come out very strange, it may be interpreted wrong, but you're trying to find out who you are."

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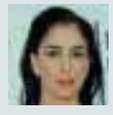

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Gearing up for summer

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There's never a dull moment when you have dinner with an Aussie winemaker. When Neil McGuigan is at your table you can multiply the fun by at least 1,000. I met up with him earlier this week in Halifax at the Agricola Street Brasserie — the city's hottest new resto. The first time we shared a glass, it was on his home turf in New South Wales's beautiful Hunter Valley.

McGuigan's got a lot to be happy about. He makes the best-selling red in Australia and has been named Winemaker of the Year by the U.K.'s prestigious International Wine & Spirit Competition three times.

Here in Canada he's best known for championing the versatility of the white sémillon grape and creating bright, easy-drinking wines that pour well above their price point.

The 2012 McGuigan Black Label Shiraz ($10.99) is a mini fruit bomb with ripe berry flavours, smooth tannins and a juicy finish. It's got enough body to fight it out with grilled meats, yet is playful enough to wash down barbecued hamburgers and hotdogs. **PRICES REFLECT THE RANGE ACROSS THE COUNTRY. SOME PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN ALL PROVINCES.**

This Mother's Day, treat her to a sophisticated brunch. Annabel Langbein, who brings good food into today's fast-paced world, shows us a recipe from her cookbook The Free Range Cook that is sure to wow the woman whose cooking you grew up on.

Only the best for Mom: Twice Baked Whitebait Souffles

THE FREE RANGE COOK
Annabel Langbein
gustotv.com

1. Preheat oven to 180 C. Generously butter six 1 cup ramekins and put in fridge to chill.

2. In a medium saucepan, melt the butter until sizzling but not browned. Stir in the flour and cook, stirring, for about 2 minutes until the mixture forms a smooth paste. Whisk in the milk, nutmeg, salt and pepper and lemon zest and bring back to a boil, stirring constantly, until the sauce thickens.

3. Add lemon juice and whisk until smooth. Remove from heat and beat in egg yolks one at a time. Taste for seasoning — it should taste highly seasoned. Fold through whitebait or smoked salmon and herbs.

4. Place egg whites in a clean, dry bowl and beat until they form soft peaks. Add one quarter of the egg whites to the whitebait mixture and stir until well mixed. Then fold the remaining egg whites gently through the mixture.

5. Fill the buttered ramekins to the top, then run your thumb around the inside edge of the dishes so the soufflés puff evenly. Set the ramekins in a deep roasting dish and pour boiling water around them until it comes about halfway up the sides of the dishes. This water bath will help the soufflés cook evenly. Bake until they are lightly puffed, browned and just set in the centre – about 15-20 minutes. (The soufflés can be cooked right through at this point if you prefer. Cook for about 20-25 minutes total.)

6. Remove soufflés from oven and the water bath and leave to cool. They can be covered and refrigerated for up to 2 days. When you are ready to serve them, preheat oven to 220 C. Pour 1 tbsp of cream over each soufflé. Place on a tray and cook until they are risen, crusty and golden — about 12 minutes from refrigerated. **WATCH THE ANNABEL LANGBEIN FREE RANGE COOK MONDAY TO THURSDAY AT 5:30 P.M. EST, STARTING APRIL 28 ON GUSTO TV, CANADA'S NEW FOOD & LIFESTYLE CHANNEL. VISIT GUSTOTV.COM FOR FULL PROGRAM LINE-UP AND MORE GREAT RECIPE IDEAS.**

Ingredients

- 50 g butter, plus extra to butter ramekins or cups
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1 3/4 cups milk
- pinch of ground nutmeg
- 1 tsp salt
- generous shake of white pepper
- finely grated zest of 1 lemon
- 4 tbsp lemon juice
- 5 egg yolks
- 1 cup whitebait or 1 cup finely chopped smoked salmon
- 2 tbsp finely chopped soft herbs such as basil
- 5 egg whites

To finish

- 6 tbsp cream

This recipe serves six. ANNABEL LANGBEIN

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The Canadian women's national team piles on defender Kadeisha Buchanan after her 35th-minute goal on Thursday night at Investors Group Field. Canada played the U.S. women's team to a 1-1 draw. JOHN WOODS/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Canadians rise to level of rivals at IGF

Soccer. Winnipeg fans fuel women's national team to draw with U.S.

Exhibition game

Canada	U.S.
1	1

Kadeisha Buchanan scored her first goal as a member of the Canadian women's national soccer team Thursday but they had to settle for a 1-1 tie the United States.

Buchanan scored her goal with a header off a corner kick just before the 35-minute mark of the friendly, and for 40 minutes it looked like Canada might finally beat a team they last defeated in 2001.

The 18-year-old Toronto native only made her debut with the national team in January 2013 but has seen 12 starts with Lauren Sesselmann out with an anterior cruciate ligament injury.

Buchanan also was fearless on defence, sliding balls away from rushing Americans throughout the first half as they tried to get to the Canadian goal.

Sydney Leroux tied the game just before the 78-minute mark for the U.S. when she kicked Canadian Rebecca Quinn's crossing header into the corner past goalkeeper Erin McLeod.

McLeod had to make one big save early in the game off Heather O'Reilly and another in the second half off a header by U.S. veteran Abby Wambach.

Then the Canadian team had to block a free kick just past the 84-minute mark that could have put the Americans in the lead.

The game was blessed with cool but dry weather, after a forecast that threatened rain, and the crowd of 28,255 was the second largest ever to watch a women's friendly in Canada. THE CANADIAN PRESS

NBA playoffs

Heat roll to 2-0 lead on Nets

LeBron James scored 22 points, Chris Bosh added 18 and the Miami Heat took a 2-0 lead in their Eastern Conference semifinal series by beating the Brooklyn Nets 94-82 on Thursday night.

Dwyane Wade had 14 and Ray Allen scored 13 for the Heat, who tied a franchise record with their eighth straight playoff victory.

Mirza Teletovic set a Nets playoff record with six three-pointers, on his way to a 20-point night off the bench. Shaun Livingston scored 15, Paul Pierce had 13 and Joe Johnson added 13 more for the Nets.

Game 3 is Saturday night in Brooklyn.

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NFL draft

Texans crown Clowney 2014's No. 1 draft pick

No surprise: Clowney is the Texans' man.

After two extra weeks of intrigue, Houston opened the NFL draft Thursday night by taking South Carolina defensive end Jadeveon Clowney. Rarely does a team not reveal the top overall choice until it is announced, and there was wide speculation the Texans had soured on Clowney, whose work ethic has been questioned.

Obviously, the Texans were convinced that a player considered a budding NFL star even when he was a freshman was the right guy for them.

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Rookie Fraser boosts Bruins in Montreal

Game 4

Bruins	Canadiens
1	0

Rookie Matt Fraser scored 1:19 into overtime to give the Boston Bruins a 1-0 win over the Montreal Canadiens and even their Eastern Conference semifinal playoff series on Thursday night.

Fraser, called up Wednesday from AHL Providence and playing his first career NHL playoff game, jumped into a scramble in front of goalie Carey Price's crease and slid the puck under him into the net.

Johnny Boychuk's point shot had taken a high hop off the end boards and Price and defenceman Mike Weaver had trouble controlling the bouncing puck.

The victory evened the best-of-seven series at 2-2 with Game 5 set for Saturday night in Boston.

The Bruins outshot Montreal 34-33 in an intense, sometimes nervously played game that was less a goaltending duel between Price and Tuukka Rask as a match of determined, defensive teams.

The teams played their first scoreless period in regulation time of the series in a tight-checking first marked mainly by icings and missed passes.

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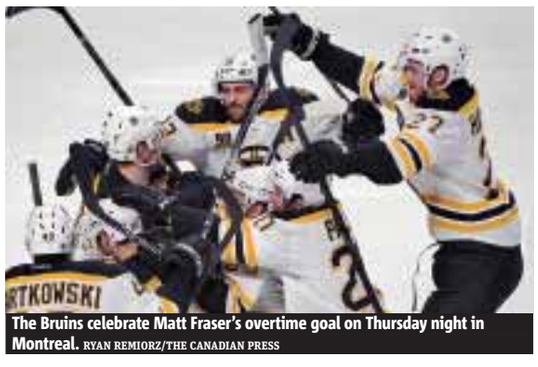

The Bruins celebrate Matt Fraser's overtime goal on Thursday night in Montreal. RYAN REMIORZ/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Top prospect for CFL draft tests positive for banned substance

Quinn Smith. Concordia defensive lineman tested positive for same anabolic steroid as sprinter Ben Johnson

Concordia defensive lineman Quinn Smith, a top prospect for next week's CFL draft, admitted Thursday he tested positive for a banned substance.

Smith, who raised eyebrows at the CFL combine in March with his ability on both sides of the ball, confirmed in a statement he tested positive for the anabolic steroid Stanozolol prior to auditioning for league officials. It's the same substance Canadian sprinter Ben Johnson tested positive for at the '88 Seoul Summer Games, which resulted in him being stripped of the 100-metre gold medal and suspended.

Impressive numbers, but...

On the first day of testing, Smith benched 225 pounds 28 times, had a 27.5-inch vertical jump and eight feet three inches in the broad jump. The next day, prior to the one-on-one drills, Smith posted a 40-yard dash time of 4.808 seconds, 7.56 seconds in the three-cone drill and 4.62 seconds in the shuttle.

"I can assure you it was not my intention to use a banned substance or to try to beat the system," Smith said in the release.

"I did not properly research the contents of supplements I obtained online and I will accept the consequences of my actions."

Smith added he has asked that his B sample be tested and is awaiting those results.

Prior to releasing his statement, Smith sent emails to all nine CFL teams informing them of the positive test and formally apologizing.

The six-foot-two, 305-pound Smith, a Toronto native, was ranked fourth among the CFL scouting bureau's final top-15 prospects for Tuesday night's draft, heady stuff considering Smith wasn't rated on either the fall or winter lists.

A big reason for Smith's meteoric rise was his performance at the combine, where he impressed as both an offensive and defensive lineman. That versatility had Smith being mentioned as a bona fide first-round prospect in the '14 draft.

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Kaymer hitting the pin

Martin Kaymer of Germany lines up a putt with caddie Craig Connelly on the second hole at the Players Championship on Thursday in Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida. Kaymer finished atop the leaderboard after Round 1 at -9. Scan the above image with your Metro News app to view a gallery of opening-round action. RICHARD HEATHCOTE/GETTY IMAGES

NBA scandal

Mrs. Sterling will fight for her half of Clippers: Lawyer

An attorney representing the estranged wife of Los Angeles Clippers owner Donald Sterling says she will fight to retain her 50 per cent ownership stake in the team.

Donald Sterling and his estranged wife Shelly

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Attorney Pierce O'Donnell also told The Associated Press that Shelly Sterling has been separated from her husband for the last year and is considering divorce.

Last week, NBA Commissioner Adam Silver banned Donald Sterling from the NBA for life and urged league owners to force him to sell the team. The move came after a recording surfaced in which Sterling made racist comments. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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How to play
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

3				5				9
	9				8	3	4	
	6		9	1				
	4					6		
6		5				4		3
		2					8	
				2	6		7	
	7	8	3				1	
1				4				5

Yesterday's Sudoku

5	9	6	3	8	1	4	2	7
2	7	1	4	5	6	8	9	3
4	3	8	9	7	2	1	6	5
1	8	5	6	3	9	7	4	2
6	4	9	5	2	7	3	1	8
3	2	7	1	4	8	9	5	6
9	5	2	7	1	3	6	8	4
7	6	4	8	9	5	2	3	1
8	1	3	2	6	4	5	7	9

Horoscopes

♈ Aries
March 21 - April 20
You may think you know what motivates someone but the planets warn you have it wrong, and that could be dangerous. In your personal life and at work you are advised not to jump to conclusions today — or any day.

♉ Taurus
April 21 - May 21
You may believe that if you don't act soon your big chance will pass but it isn't true. The sense of urgency you feel is an illusion and what happens over the next three days will prove it.

♊ Gemini
May 22 - June 21
You know there is a flaw in your plans but you are tempted to ignore it. Mistake. If you push ahead regardless you are sure to regret it. Work out where it is you have gone wrong, then make the necessary moves to put it right.

♋ Cancer
June 22 - July 23
What you hear today may annoy you but is it worth getting worked up about? Of course not. If you allow yourself to get angry by what other people say about you they will have succeeded in their aim.

♌ Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
Don't commit yourself to anything you cannot back out of later, especially if there is money at stake. Most of the time your instincts can be trusted but this may be the one time when they let you down.

♍ Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
Don't change anything for the sake of it today because you will only have to change it back again later. It might be better to stick with what you know about, even if it is not what you want. Wait and see what the weekend brings.

♎ Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
You should expect a certain amount of deception over the next 24 hours, even from people you think you can trust. Don't take anything that happens too seriously and don't hold grudges against people who let you down. It happens.

♏ Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
It does not matter how convinced you may be that you are in the right and others are in the wrong. You won't get far if you insist they come round to your way of thinking. Look for a compromise solution.

♐ Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
You will be caught off by something you did not expect today. You have taken certain things for granted when you had no reason to do so. Admit you made a mistake and do what you can to put it right.

♑ Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
Do what you can to bring people together today but if it proves too tough a task just back off and let them fight it out. Do not, under any circumstances, get involved on a personal level yourself. If you choose sides you'll be the loser.

♒ Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
Make sure you have all the facts at your fingertips because it is the only way you can be certain you are not being deceived. The planets warn that people won't hesitate to cheat you if they think they can get away with it.

♓ Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
Current cosmic activity endows you with self-confidence but the downside is you might start thinking you cannot fail. Apply common sense to everything you do today and don't let others pressure you into making quick decisions.

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Crossword: Canada Across and Down

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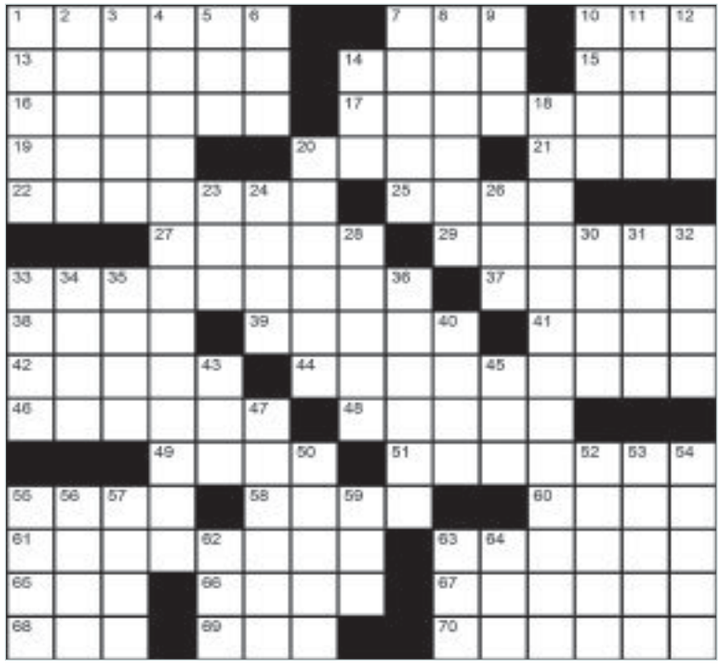
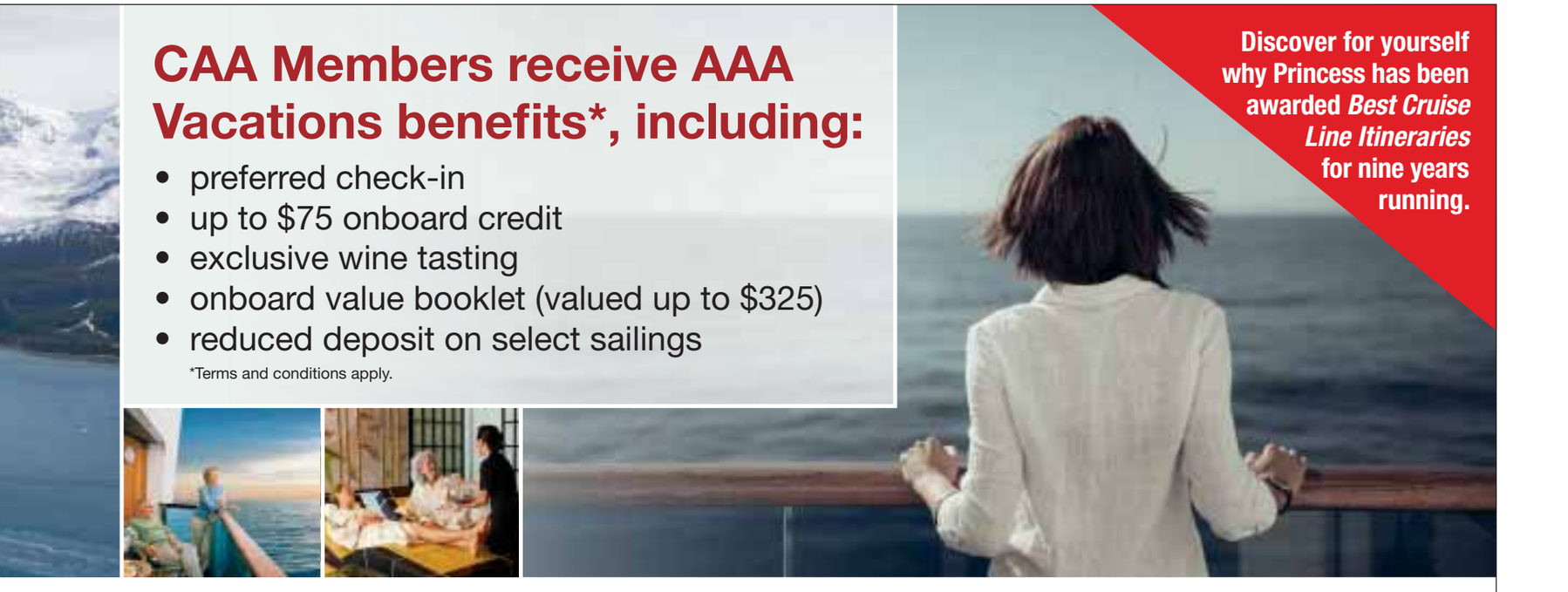


Across

1. 1982 Clash hit: "Rock the __"
7. Weight's stat. pal
10. Inclined
13. Bind
14. Actress Rooney
15. Mai __ (Cocktail)
16. __ card
17. Lynn __ ("Chopped Canada" celebrity chef)
19. Ms. Spelling
20. See #8-Down
21. Church part
22. '60s bossa nova hit: "The Girl from __"
25. Barber's target
27. CBC chef, Stefano __
29. Shania Twain's "From This __ On"
33. _.__. __ (Toronto-born actor who plays Dr. Tom Reycraft on CTV's "Saving Hope")
37. More dry
38. Winged
39. "I'm going __ __." ...stated the afternoon social attendee
41. Respiratory rattle
42. Inclines
44. Ontario village; or, city in England
46. Computer keyboard users
48. Formula
49. Botanist Mr. Gray's
51. Monarch's trappings
55. "Highway to Hell" group
58. Competes
60. Divide
61. Canadian actress Rachel Blanchard played Cher Horowitz on the TV version of what 1995 movie?
63. Bring along: 2 wds.
65. "El __" (1961)
66. Yeses: French
67. "Undone - The Sweater Song" band
68. Fasten
69. Windows-using PCs pre-Vistas
70. Gawking, say

Down

1. Mojave plants
2. _ __ in the bucket
3. "__-__: Princess of Power" ('80s cartoon series)
4. May 1969: John Lennon and Yoko Ono's happening at Montreal's Queen Elizabeth Hotel: 3 wds.
5. Jackie's '68 groom
6. __ up (Riled)
7. Abrasive
8. Neil Young's ex-Hollies bandmate (First name here, surname at #20-Across)
9. Tweety Bird's 'spotted'
10. Above
11. Golfer's norms
12. Surfer's interest
14. Beastie Boys member
18. Straight-from-the-source fresh produce outlet: 2 wds.
20. Canada, for one
23. 'Ether' suffix (Airy/delicate)
24. Jazz musician Mr. Jackson
26. Apple devices platform
28. Poker stakes
30. 'E' in QED
31. Ms. Carter
32. Birch __
33. Go-__ (Fun vehicle)
34. Ceramics material
35. Use a tent
36. Seamstresses
40. Cottage owner's plot
43. 2014 HS grads
45. Summer mo.
47. Routinely set money aside: 2 wds.
50. Yes yeses ...in Spanish: 2 wds.
52. Broadcaster Ms. Gibbons
53. Lay to rest
54. Love
55. Invoice abbr.
56. Gladiator's 152
57. Guy
59. 'Lion' suffix
62. Deli serving
63. Ex-airline
64. Old Rome bronze money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